Sec. 2. That all Acts or parts of Acts inconsistent with the provisions of this Act be, and the same are hereby, repealed to the extent of such inconsistency.

Inconsistent Acts

SEC. 3. That this Act, including the provision for payment of the expenses of the judges of the Customs Court, Government attorneys. and stenographic clerks incurred while absent from New York on official business, shall take effect from the date of its passage.

Effective date.

Approved, October 10, 1940.

# [CHAPTER 844]

### AN ACT

Authorizing a per capita payment of \$10 each to the members of the Red Lake Band of Chippewa Indians from any funds on deposit in the Treasury of the United States to their credit.

October 10, 1940 [H. R. 8369] [Public, No. 835]

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled, That the Secretary of the Interior be, and he is hereby, authorized to withdraw as much as may be necessary from any funds on deposit in the Treasury of the United States to the credit of the Red Lake Indians in Minnesota, and to make therefrom a per capita payment of \$10 to each of the members of the Red Lake Band of Chippewa Indians of the State of Minnesota, living at the date of the passage of this Act, immediately payable upon the passage of this Act, under such rules and regulations as the said Secretary may prescribe: Provided, That the money paid to the Indians as authorized herein shall not be subject to any lien or claim of attornevs or other parties: Provided further, That before any payment is made hereunder, the Red Lake Band of Chippewa Indians in Minnesota shall, in such manner as may be prescribed by the Secretary of the Interior, ratify the provisions of this Act and accept same.

Red Lake Band of Chippewa Indians, Minn.

Per capita payment

Provisos. Payments not subject to any lien, etc. Acceptance, etc.

Approved, October 10, 1940.

## [CHAPTER 845]

### AN ACT

To further amend the Alaska game law.

October 10, 1940 [H. R 8474] [Public, No. 836]

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled, That section 10 of the Act entitled "An Act to establish an Alaska Game Commission, to protect game animals, land fur-bearing animals, and birds in Alaska, and for other purposes", approved January 13, 1925, as amended, is further amended to read as follows:

Alaska Game Law. amendment.

43 Stat. 743. 48 U. S. C. § 198; Supp. V, § 198.

Regulations for taking game animals, etc.

**Special prohibitions.** 

"Sec. 10. Regulations.—That the Secretary of the Interior, upon consultation with or recommendation from the Commission, is hereby authorized and directed from time to time to determine when, to what extent if at all, and by what means game animals, land fur-bearing animals, game birds, nongame birds, and nests or eggs of birds may be taken, possessed, transported, bought, or sold, and to adopt suitable regulations permitting and governing the same in accordance with such determinations, which regulations shall become effective on the date specified therein; but no such regulations shall permit any person to take any female yearling or calf moose, any doe yearling or fawn deer, or any female or lamb mountain sheep except under permit for scientific, propagation, or educational purposes; or to use any dog in taking game animals; or to sell the heads, hides, or horns of any game animals, except the hides of moose, caribou, deer, and mountain goat, or black bears if and when declared to be game animals by the Secretary

43 Stat. 739; 52 Stat. 1169. 48 U. S. C. § 206; Supp. V, § 206. Firearms, boats, etc.

Sales.

Use for food during closed season.

40 Stat. 755.
16 U. S. C. §§ 703-711;
Supp. V, §§ 703-709a.
Proviso.
Destruction, etc., of
property used by Com-

of the Interior under authority of section 2 of this Act, which the regulations may permit to be sold under such restrictions as said Secretary may deem to be appropriate; or to use any shotgun larger than a number 10 gage; or to use any airplane, or steam or power launch, or any boat other than one propelled by paddle, oars, or pole, in taking game animals or game birds; or to sell any game animals, game birds, or parts thereof to the owner, master, or employee of any coastal or river steamer or commercial power or sailboat, or to procure for serving or to serve any such game animals, game birds, or parts thereof in any cannery or to the employees on any such steamer or boat; nor, except as herein provided, shall prohibit any Indian or Eskimo, prospector, or traveler to take animals or birds during the closed season when he is in need of food and other sufficient food is not available, but the shipment or sale of any animals or birds or parts thereof so taken shall not be permitted, except that the hides of animals so taken may be sold within the Territory, but said Secretary by regulation may prohibit such native Indians or Eskimos, prospectors, or travelers from taking any species of animals or birds for food during the closed season in any section of the Territory within which he shall determine that the supply of such species of animals or birds is in danger of extermination; nor shall any such regulation contravene any of the provisions of the Migratory Bird Treaty Act and regulations: Provided. That no person shall knowingly disturb, injure, or destroy any notice, signboard, seal, boat, vessel, sled, dog, or dog team, paraphernalia, or equipment, building, or other improvement or property of the United States used by the Commission in the administration and/or enforcement of the provisions of this Act, or as a notice to the public concerning the provisions of this Act or any regulation adopted pursuant thereto, or as a marker of the boundary of any area closed to hunting, trapping, or other special use under the provisions of this Act, or to destroy, remove, tamper with, or imitate any metal seal or seals issued by the Commission and attached to any skin, portion, or specimen of a wild animal or bird or other article for purposes of identification under its authority, in accordance with the provisions of this Act or any regulation thereunder."

Approved, October 10, 1940.

[CHAPTER 846]

October 10, 1940 [H. R. 9123] [Public, No. 837]

#### AN ACT

To approve Act numbered 65 of the Session Laws of 1939 of the Territory of Hawaii, entitled "An Act to amend Act 29 of the Session Laws of Hawaii, 1929, granting to J. K. Lota and associates a franchise for electric light, current, and power in Hanalei, Kauai, by including Moloaa within such franchise".

Hawaii.
Approval of Act
granting a franchise
for electric light, etc.

Effective date.

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled, That Act numbered 65 of the Session Laws of 1939 of the Territory of Hawaii, entitled "An Act to amend Act 29 of the Session Laws of Hawaii, 1929, granting to J. K. Lota and associates a franchise for electric light, current, and power in Hanalei, Kauai, by including Moloaa within such franchise", passed by the Legislature of the Territory of Hawaii and approved by the Governor of the Territory of Hawaii on April 20, 1939, be hereby approved.

SEC. 2. This Act shall be in force and effect from and after its

passage.

Approved, October 10, 1940.